

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA  
CLARKSBURG DIVISION

STEVEN BROWN, et al.,	)	
	)	
Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Civil Action No. 1:22-cv-00080
	)	
THE BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO,	)	
FIREARMS, AND EXPLOSIVES, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Notice is hereby given that Defendants Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF); Steven Dettelbach, in his official capacity as Acting Director of ATF; and Merrick Garland, in his official capacity as Attorney General of the United States, appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit from this Court's Judgment (Docket No. 41), as amended (Docket No. 45), and from all orders and opinions merged into the judgment, including but not limited to Docket No. 40.

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